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IN THE
COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE
NINTH DISTRICT OF TEXAS
AT HOUSTON

#### TIMOTHY AARON SWINNEY

*Appellant* 

v.

## THE STATE OF TEXAS

*Appellee* 

Cause Number ND 7248 & ND 7289 From the 1-A Judicial District Court Newton County, Texas

APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO FILE PETITION FOR DISCRETIONARY REVIEW

To the Honorable Court of Appeals of Texas:

Comes now Timothy Aaron Swinney, Appellant, in accordance with Rule 68.2(c) of the Texas Rules of Appellate Procedure, and moves for extension of time in

which to file the its petition for discretionary review, and, in support thereof, presents the following:

- 1. Appellant was charged with two counts of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.
- 2. Appellant was found guilty by a jury and sentenced to 8 years for cause number ND 7248 and 2 years for cause number ND 7249 in the Texas Department of Corrections on November 7, 2018.
- 3. A unanimous panel of the Ninth Court of Appeals rendered judgment in an unpublished opinion on January 27, 2021, affirming appellant's conviction and sentence.
- 4. Appellant's motion for rehearing was denied on March 12, 2021.
- 5. Appellant's petition for discretionary review is due April 12, 2021.
- 6. Appellant seeks an extension, in accordance with the Tex. R. App. P., until May 12, 2021.
- 7. No previous extensions have been granted to the Appellant.
- 8. The facts relied upon to explain the need for this extension are:
  - a. Appellate counsel needs additional time to adequately research and write the petition.

WHEREFORE, the Appellant prays that this Court will grant the requested extension of time until May 12, 2021.

# Respectfully submitted,

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